

Project Status

- We have accounts open and authority to spend sPHENIX OPC funds.
- The RLS is integrated and debugged to a significant level (WBS 1.1-1.10)
 - Information for the Project Execution Plan can now be extracted from the RLS
 - WBS 1.11 the INTT will be added shortly
 - WBS 1.12 the MVTA will stand alone since it is an independent upgrade project
- We have a schedule including a critical path analysis
- Have extracted a revised cost estimate from the files
 - Will discuss this at the collaboration meeting tomorrow
- We should have labor profiles available by next week
- Other documents are coming together: CDR, WBS Dictionary, PEP, Haz Analysis Plan, Risk Registry, Risk Management Plan, NEPA, Security docs...

This is in preparation for the Director's Review and CD-1

Revised MIE Cost Estimate as of May 23, 2017

Note that the numbers in both columns are in AY\$K. That is better for comparison. Both estimates are for a detector with complete 2π and $-1 < \eta < 1$ coverage. The earlier estimate has 40% contingency. The brand new estimate has 30% contingency. Based on our much better cost information.

The target total MIE w/OH +esc+cont = \$29.5 -30 AY\$M. Guidance by BNL

| Rev May 23, 2017 | MIE Costs with OH and esc. No contingency. No Descope. 5/23/17 (AYk\$) | MIE Costs with OH and esc. No contingency. No Descope. 1/17/17 (AY\$K) |
|---|--|--|
| sPHENIX_Project_Management | \$1,762 | \$1,762 |
| sPHENIX_TPC | \$3,016 | \$2,933 |
| sPHENIX_EMCal | \$5,896 | \$4,040 |
| sPHENIX_HCal | \$11,714 | \$6,629 |
| sPHENIX_Calorimeter_Electronics | \$5,230 | \$5,213 |
| sPHENIX_DAQ&Trigger | \$1,301 | \$1,224 |
| sPHENIX_MinBias_Trigger | \$136 | \$108 |
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| sPHENIX Total MIE w/ OH & esc (Sum 1.1 to 1.7) | \$29,055 | \$21,909 |
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| sPHENIX Total MIE w/ OH & esc & contingency (40% cont 1/17/17 & 30% cont 5/23/17) | \$37,772 | \$30,673 |

CD-1 Preparation and Review Schedule

- Practice for sPHENIX Document Review and Drill Down Jun 1
- sPHENIX CD-1 “Document Review” w/ BNL Rev committee Jun 5-6
- Practice for sPHENIX Dress Rehearsal July 6 – 7 tentative
- sPHENIX MVTX Director’s review July 10-11
- sPHENIX Director’s Review Dress Rehearsal July 12-14.
- sPHENIX Director’s Review. Aug 2-4
- sPHENIX Internal Practice for OPA Review mid-Sept (proposd)
- sPHENIX External Practice for OPA Review end-Sept(proposd)
- Additional OPA Review Practice if necessary mid-Oct(proposd)
- DOE-OPA CD-1 Review Nov 7-9

Aug 2-4 Director's Review charge

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Associate Laboratory Director's Cost & Schedule Review of the sPHENIX Project August 2-4, 2017 Charge to the Review Committee

The sPHENIX detector, currently under development, is designed to facilitate large acceptance, ultra-high rate measurements of fully reconstructed jets and high resolution spectroscopy of Upsilon states at the Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider (RHIC) at Brookhaven National Laboratory (BNL). The experiment is aimed at addressing scientific questions prioritized in the 2015 NSAC Long Range Plan and generally enhancing the physics reach afforded by the RHIC complex prior to the possible construction of an Electron Ion Collider (EIC).

The resources for the construction of the sPHENIX detector come from different sources that are essential for its success. The outer tracking system, electromagnetic and hadronic calorimeter together with the trigger and data acquisition system are a DOE Major Item of Equipment (MIE) that was granted CD0 by the Office of Science on September 27, 2016. The MIE component of sPHENIX is preparing for the alternative selection and determination of the project cost range in view of CD-1 and readiness for long lead procurement, scheduled in November 2017. The infrastructure and facility upgrades, including the magnet, and the labor in support for the upgrade are funded through RHIC operations directly. The inner tracking system consists of a silicon strip detector, provided as in-kind contribution by RIKEN and, eventually, a Monolithic Active Pixel Sensor detector that will be part of a separate upgrade proposal to DOE.

The committee is charged to evaluate the sPHENIX plan focusing on cost and schedule for the MIE component, in view of CD-1 and the readiness for long lead procurements. In the event that deficiencies are identified the committee is asked to recommend corrective actions.

1. Is the conceptual design technically sound and likely to meet the objectives of its scientific case? Are the risks understood and is there a R&D plan that mitigates the technical risks?
2. Are the cost and schedule estimates credible and reasonable for this stage of the project?
3. Are the resources needed, including (wo)men-power, adequate and likely to be provided?
4. Is the project appropriately managed? Is there a capable team in place to effectively manage risks, interfaces, and ensure quality?
5. Are the ES&H aspects being properly addressed?

6. Has the project met all CD-1 prerequisites and is ready for CD-1?
7. Is the project ready for long lead procurements and meets the appropriate DOE requirements?

The committee will also be asked to review the infrastructure and facility upgrades and provide recommendations, in a separate report, in case deficiencies are observed.

1. Is the scope adequate to support the scientific goals of the MIE?
2. Are the cost and schedule estimates properly justified and documented?
3. Are the technical risks of this scope reasonable and acceptable?
4. Are the resources needed, including (wo)men-power, adequate and likely to be provided?
5. Are the assumptions and dependencies outside the direct control of sPHENIX project management clearly documented? Have the risks associated with these assumptions and dependencies been identified and possible mitigations documented?
6. Is the management structure and coordination between the MIE, the upgrade facility and the inner detectors appropriate and documented?
7. Are the ES&H aspects properly addressed?

The review will take place from Wednesday to Friday, August 2-4, 2017 at BNL. A closeout will be presented to the sPHENIX project team, and the Laboratory prior to adjourning. Two separate reports should be submitted to my office by close of business on Friday, August 11, 2017.

I very much appreciate your willingness to lend your time and expertise to this important step in the sPHENIX review process, and look forward to receiving your assessment.

Sincerely,



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Memo

Date: May 19, 2017

To: Proposed Project Oversight Board Sub-Panel Members

From: Robert Tribble, Deputy Director for Science and Technology *Robert C. Tribble*

Subject: sPHENIX Project

On behalf of the Brookhaven National Laboratory Project Oversight Board (POB), I am requesting your assistance in helping to assure a successful Critical Decision 1/Critical Decision 3a (CD-1/CD-3a) Review of the sPHENIX Project.

sPHENIX is proposed as a major upgrade to the PHENIX detector. The sPHENIX detector is optimized to facilitate large acceptance, ultra-high rate measurements of fully reconstructed jets and high resolution spectroscopy of Upsilon states. The outer tracking system, electromagnetic and hadronic calorimeter together with the trigger and data acquisition system are a DOE Major Item of Equipment (MIE) that was granted CD-0 by the Office of Science on September 27, 2016. The \$29M-\$35M MIE component of sPHENIX is preparing for a CD-1/CD-3a review, scheduled in November 2017. The infrastructure and facility upgrades, including the magnet (\$20M) and the labor in support for the upgrade (an additional \$20M) are funded through BNL directly. The inner tracking system consists of a silicon strip detector, provided as in-kind contribution by RIKEN and, eventually, a Monolithic Active Pixel Sensor detector that would be part of a separate upgrade proposal to DOE. A bottom-up resource-loaded project plan has sPHENIX assembled, commissioned, and ready to take data in January 2022.

We are asking you to provide your expert advice to help the sPHENIX Project team prepare for a successful Director's Review on August 2-4, 2017 and subsequently a successful CD-1/CD-3a Review in early November of 2017. It is envisioned that this POB Sub-Panel would participate in desk-top documentation reviews, red-team reviews, and dry runs between now and early November as part of this charge.

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The initial activity of this charge will be to conduct a detailed review of the documentation that is being prepared by the sPHENIX project team and assess the status of the documentation against the CD-1/CD-3a criteria (attached) as well as the quality of the presentations. If it is deemed by the POB Sub-Panel that the documentation is not quite ready, the Sub-Panel should assess the Project Team's plans to mature the documentation between now and the Director's Review in August. The sub-panel should meet as needed to review information provided by the project team and should provide a report to me by June 15, 2017.

All follow-on POB sPHENIX activities between now and early November will be coordinated between the POB Sub-Panel Chair, Bill Wahl, and the NPP Director of the Office of Project Planning and Oversight, Maria Chamizo-Llata, in consultation with Ed O'Brien, the sPHENIX Project Manager.

Proposed membership on this sub-panel is:

- Bill Wahl (Chair), LSST Sub-Project Manager
- Jeff Keister, NEXT Deputy Project Manager
- Michael Begel, Group Leader, OMEGA Group
- Flemming Videbaek, STAR iTPC Project Manager
- Mark-Andre Pleier, L2 for ATLAS HL-LHC
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- Penka Novakova, Project Controls, DUNE
- Heather Turbush, NSLS-II Business Operations
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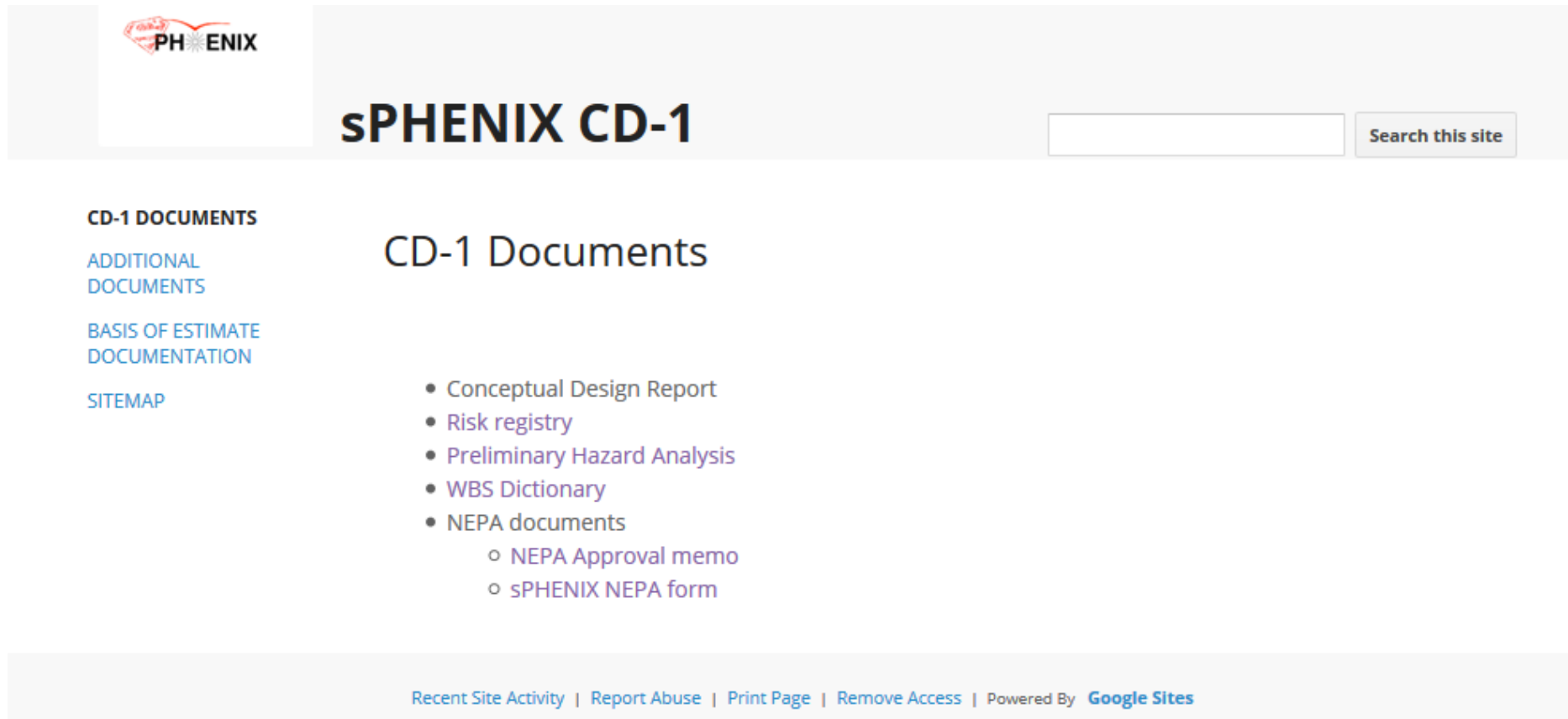
Agenda for the Jun 5-6 Document Review and Drill Down

- Project Overview – Ed O'B
- Technical Overview – John H
- Status of CD-1 Documents – Jim M
- Project Controls Plans – Irina S
- TPC BOE's and RLS _ Tom H
- EMCal BOE's and RLS – Craig W
- HCal BOE's and RSL – John L
- Cal Elec BOE's and RLS - Eric M
- DAQ/Trig BOE's and RLS – Martin P
- Min Bias Trigger Det BOE's and RLS – Mickey C

Drill downs of the L2 files WBS 1.2 to 1.7

Prepping for the Jun 5-6 Documentation Review

John has set up a Google Sites webpage in preparation for the Jun 5-6 review. It is pretty easy to use. For the review we would like our posted documents to be PDFs if at all possible. That means we will need both PDF and docx/xlsx versions of documents in docdb



The screenshot shows a Google Sites webpage for "sPHENIX CD-1". The header features the sPHENIX logo on the left and a search bar on the right. The main content area is titled "CD-1 Documents" and lists several documents: Conceptual Design Report, Risk registry, Preliminary Hazard Analysis, WBS Dictionary, and NEPA documents (with sub-items NEPA Approval memo and sPHENIX NEPA form). A left sidebar contains links to "CD-1 DOCUMENTS", "ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS", "BASIS OF ESTIMATE DOCUMENTATION", and "SITEMAP". The footer includes links for "Recent Site Activity", "Report Abuse", "Print Page", "Remove Access", and "Powered By Google Sites".

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CD-1 DOCUMENTS

ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS

BASIS OF ESTIMATE DOCUMENTATION

SITEMAP

CD-1 Documents

- Conceptual Design Report
- Risk registry
- Preliminary Hazard Analysis
- WBS Dictionary
- NEPA documents
 - NEPA Approval memo
 - sPHENIX NEPA form

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My Assessment of the BOEs

Good so far but they need a little work:

- Will need to let the review committee see the excel files. PDF versions of the BOEs lose the excel tab structure and links, so PDFs don't seem to be a good option.
- The L2's need to go through their BOEs and remove the external links. Only keep the internal file links. We don't want broken links in our project documentation.
- Add WBS 1.1 Proj Man to BOE
- Fix WBS 1.8 Mag to reflect 4 CAMs. Right now it is all one account
- Make INTT BOEs and add them to docdb

sPHENIX Preliminary Execution Plan

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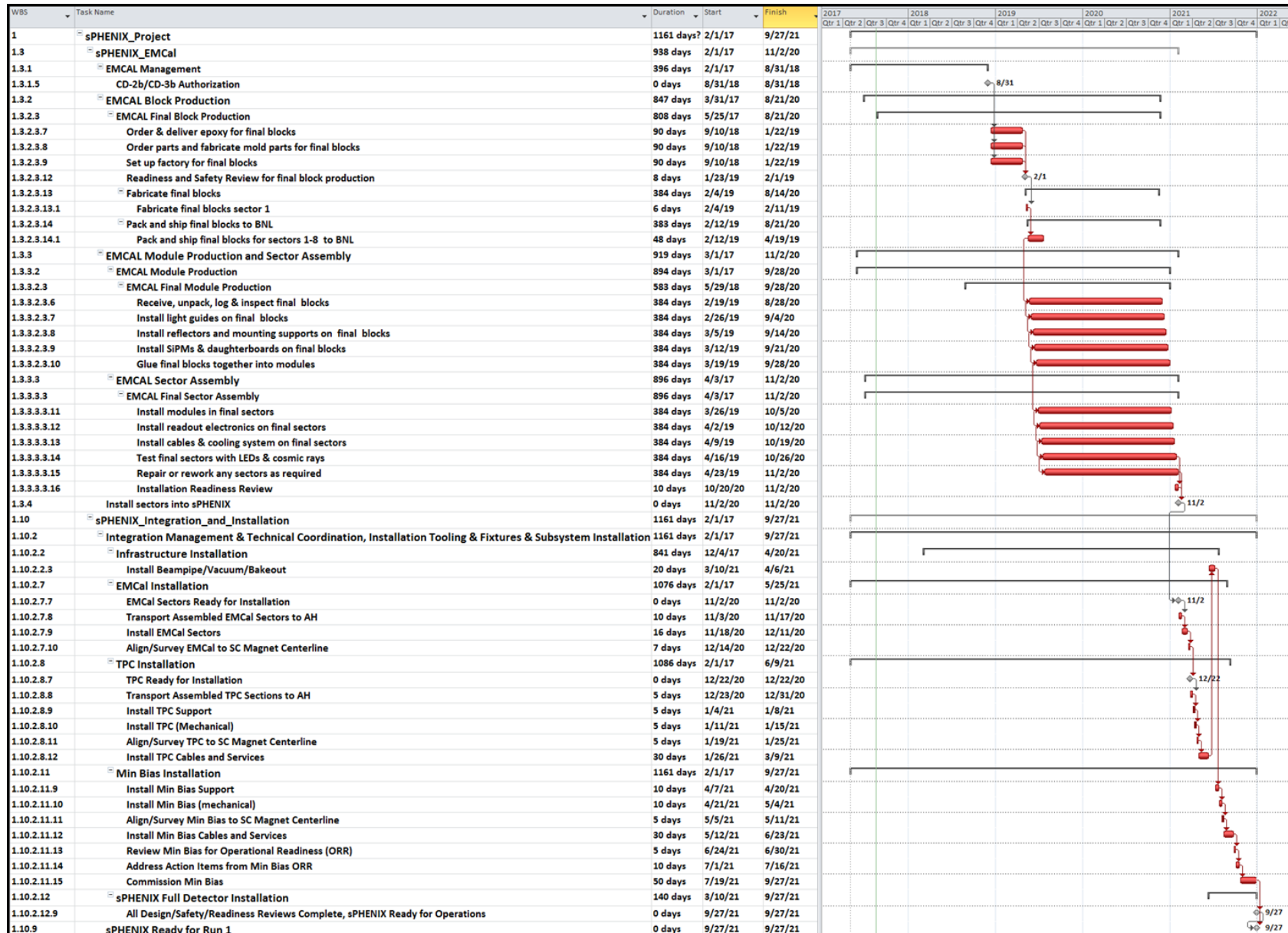
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1 Introduction and Mission Need

Add figures and tables based on the Integrated Project files

- **MIE Cost Profile – nearing completion**
- Project Schedule w/ Major Milestones
- Critical path
- **Bottom-up contingency estimate - need**
- Table of High Risks and mitigation plan
- **Labor profile sorted by job category – nearing completion**
- Brief description of each L2 and Control Account

Critical Path Through EMCal Block and Module Production



WBS Dictionary – Defined to Work Package Level

| WBS | WBS | WBS L4 | WBS L5 | WBS Name | Dictionary Definition |
|-----|-------|---------|-----------|--|---|
| 1.1 | | | | SPHENIX PROJECT MANAGEMENT | PROJECT MANAGEMENT FOR ALL SPHENIX WBS ITEMS FROM 1.2 TO 1.10 AND INCLUDING ALL PROJECT STAGES FROM CONCEPTUAL DESIGN TO CD-4 APPROVAL. |
| 1.1 | 1.1.1 | | | Project Management of sPHENIX | COST CONTENT: LABOR COST COVERING THE PROJECT MANAGEMENT TEAM. MATERIAL COSTS FOR TRAVEL OF THE MANAGEMENT TEAM OVER THE LIFE OF THE PROJECT. ADDITIONAL MATERIAL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH PREPARATION FOR DOE AND BNL REVIEWS. THIS TASK INCLUDES ALL SCIENTIFIC, ENGINEERING, TECHNICAL AND SUPPORT STAFF EFFORTS TO PLAN AND SUPERVISE ALL ASPECTS OF THE ASSEMBLY, INTEGRATION AND INSTALLATION OF THE SPHENIX DEFINED IN WBS 1.2 THROUGH WBS 1.10. WORK STATEMENT: TASKS TO BE PERFORMED BY THE PROJECT MANAGEMENT TEAM INCLUDE: 1) THE OVERSIGHT AND MANAGEMENT OF THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING OF SPHENIX. 2) PREPARATION FOR DOE AND BNL REVIEWS INCLUDING CD REVIEWS BY OPA, DOE ANNUAL REVIEW, SAFETY REVIEWS, READINESS REVIEWS, ETC. 3) PREPARATION AND SUBMISSION OF ALL REPORTS AND DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED BY DOE AND BNL INCLUDING CONCEPTUAL AND TECHNICAL DESIGN REPORTS, EARNED VALUE REPORTS, ESAH PLANS, PROCUREMENT PLANS, ETC. 4) MONITORING THE ACTIVITIES OF ALL WBS TASKS THROUGH THE LEVEL2 MANAGERS TO ASSURE ASSURE ADHERENCE TO THE TECHNICAL, BUDGET AND SCHEDULE PLAN OF THE SPHENIX PROJECT. 5) WORK WITH THE LEVEL2 MANAGERS TO MONITOR ALL VENDOR ACTIVITY TO ASSURE COMPLIANCE WITH TECHNICAL, BUDGET AND SCHEDULE SPECS. |
| 1.1 | 1.1.2 | | | Travel for sPHENIX Project Management | TRAVEL TO FACILITATE ACTIVITIES INCLUDED IN WBS 1.1.1 |
| 1.2 | | | | SPHENIX TPC | The Time Projection Chamber for the sPHENIX Experiment at RHIC |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | | | TPC Mechanics | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE TPC PROTOTYPE VERSION 1.2, PERFORM R&D, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THESE PROTOTYPES AND THE FINAL TPC INCLUDING THE IV SYSTEM. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE PROTOTYPES: V1/2 FIELD CAGE PROTOTYPE; V1/2 MODULE PROTOTYPING, INCLUDING GAS ENCLOSURE, COMMON MODULE MECHANICS, MODULE PROTOTYPE, V2 FIELD CAGE MODIFICATIONS, SITE PREP FOR PRODUCTION FACTORIES. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.1 | | TPC v1 Field Cage Prototype | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE TPC FIELD CAGE PROTOTYPE VERSION 1. PERFORM R&D, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE PROTOTYPE: FIELD CAGE V1 PROTOTYPE. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.2 | | TPC v2 Field Cage | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE TPC FIELD CAGE PROTOTYPE VERSION 2, PERFORM R&D, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE PROTOTYPE: FIELD CAGE V2 PROTOTYPE. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.3 | | TPC Final Field Cage | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE TPC FINAL FIELD CAGE. PERFORM NECESSARY MODIFICATION TO THE V2 FIELD CAGE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE PROTOTYPES: MODIFY V2 FIELD CAGE PROTOTYPE AND TESTING, INCLUDING PROCURING PARTS THAT HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED DURING PROTOTYPING. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.4 | | TPC v1 Modules | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE GEM READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 1, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE GEM READOUT MODULE V1 PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE MODULES. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.4 | 1.2.1.4.1 | TPC v1 Module Gas Enclosure | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE GAS ENCLOSURE OF A READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 1. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE GAS ENCLOSURE FOR A READOUT MODULE V1 PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE ENCLOSURE. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.4 | 1.2.1.4.1 | TPC v1 Module Common Mechanics | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE COMMON MECHANICS OF A READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 1, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE COMMON MECHANICS FOR A READOUT MODULE V1 PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE COMMON MECHANICS. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.4 | 1.2.1.4.2 | TPC v1a Module Prototype | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 1A, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE A READOUT MODULE V1A PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE READOUT MODULE. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.4 | 1.2.1.4.4 | TPC v1b Module Prototype | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 1B, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE A READOUT MODULE V1B PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE READOUT MODULE. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.5 | | TPC v2 Modules | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE GEM READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 2, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE GEM READOUT MODULE V2 PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE MODULES. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.5 | 1.2.1.5.1 | TPC v2 Module Gas Enclosure | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE GAS ENCLOSURE OF A READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 2. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE GAS ENCLOSURE FOR A READOUT MODULE V2 PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE ENCLOSURE. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.5 | 1.2.1.5.2 | TPC v2 Module Common Mechanics | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE COMMON MECHANICS OF A READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 2, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE COMMON MECHANICS FOR A READOUT MODULE V2 PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE COMMON MECHANICS. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.5 | 1.2.1.5.3 | TPC v2a Module Prototype | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE READOUT MODULE PROTOTYPE VERSION 2A, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT THE ELEMENTS OF THIS PROTOTYPE. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE A READOUT MODULE V2A PROTOTYPE AND MATERIAL/EQUIPMENT TO PRODUCE THE READOUT MODULE. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.6 | | TPC Production GEM Acquisition | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO ACQUIRE COMPONENTS FOR THE GEM FOILS AND PRODUCE THESE FOILS, INCLUDING THE TRAINING OF A TECHNICIAN DEDICATED TO THE PRODUCTION OF SPHENIX GEM FOILS. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE ALL PARTS AND MANPOWER TO PRODUCE THE FINAL GEM FOILS. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.7 | | TPC High Voltage System | TECHNICAL SCOPE: THIS ITEM CONTAINS ALL TASKS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY COMPONENTS FOR THE HIGH VOLTAGE SUPPLY SYSTEM FOR THE GEM READOUT MODULES AND CENTRAL MEMBRANE. IC CONTAINS THE TASKS TO PROCURE THE ELEMENTS OF THESE ITEMS. WORK STATEMENT: PROVIDE ALL PARTS TO PRODUCE A HIGH VOLTAGE SUPPLY SYSTEM FOR THE TPC. |
| 1.2 | 1.2.1 | 1.2.1.8 | | TPC Assembly | TECHNICAL SCOPE: ASSEMBLY OF FINAL TPC. WORK STATEMENT: ASSEMBLE ALL PARTS AND PRODUCING THE FINAL TPC. |

Risk Registry

| aPHENIX Risk Registry | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------|--|---|--|-------------|---------------|--|----------|--|
| Owner | WBS | Risk Name | Risk Trigger (S) | Consequences (then) | Timeline | Probability | Impact | Risk | Mitigation Plan |
| J.O'Brien | 1.1 Management | Departure of Key Personnel | Someone critical to the Project informs of his intention to leave aPHENIX | Schedule delay occurs | all | 5% | Schedule: 3 months | Low | Closely work with aPHENIX collaboration to identify a potential replacement. |
| J.O'Brien | 1.1 Management | Safety Incident | Safety incident resulting in injury | Schedule delay occurs | all | 5% | Schedule: 1 month | Low | Carefully plan all work in accordance with BNL SSMS. Include safety reviews and safety review recommendations implementation in aPHENIX resource loaded schedule. |
| J.O'Brien | 1.1 Management | Funding profile stretches | Funds not available on time | Cost increases because procurements need to be broken down into smaller units, or existing quotes expire, or new contracts need to be negotiated. | production | 50% | Schedule: 12-24 months Cost: \$500K | High | Work closely with the funding agency so any funding profile changes can be evaluated as early as possible and aPHENIX Project schedule optimally adjusted to match the new funding profile. |
| J.O'Brien | 1.1 Management | Infrastructure support is delayed | Infrastructure milestones is delayed | Project activities dependent on infrastructure milestones are delayed | all | 5% | Schedule: 2 months | Low | Develop a detailed resource loaded schedule with key milestones for infrastructure support and closely monitor this schedule for risk triggers. |
| J. Krensek | 1.3 POC | Measure via OEMs | | | | Low | Low | Low | In case the proper OEMs for the via prototype are not in hand, an adapter plate will be required to fit an existing OEM stock to allow the impact test to proceed. |
| J. Krensek | 1.3 POC | Performance failure of v2 prototype | | | | Low | Moderate | Moderate | We will add a design cycle of a smaller device than the full sized half size if the v1 prototype fails. We will proceed on v2 only after success of the small version. |
| J. Krensek | 1.3 POC | Failure or delay of CERNA production | | | | Low | High | Moderate | We will monitor carefully the success of CERNA production and will hire a technician who will exclusively work on producing OEM fails for our project. If delays still occur, we will seek a second vendor (e.g. Tech Star). |
| J. Krensek | 1.3 POC | SAMPA Chip Failure | | | | Low | High | Moderate | ALICE and STAR shall be forced to mitigate the situation and if not, alternatives such as the ALITRO and DREAM chips must be considered. |
| J. Krensek | 1.3 Initial | Loss of W powder supplier | Failure of the primary supplier (Tungsten Heavy Powder) to provide a quote for full powder order at an affordable price or will not sign a contract with BNL to deliver | Would need to obtain quote and contract with alternate supplier for powder. This will cause a delay in our schedule and possibly an increase in cost. In addition, powder from a different vendor could lead | production | Low 20% | High cost: price increase + 500%, schedule delay to vendor/negotiate contract/ place | Moderate | Find another source of W powder which can meet our specs. Some have already been investigated. Attempt to identify primary source of new powder in China and identify new distributor. Accept degraded detector performance if new powder does not meet specs. |
| J. Krensek | 1.3 Initial | Loss of foil supplier | Failure of foil vendor to sign contract or deliver foil on time. | Would cause a delay in the schedule and result in higher cost for the foil. | production | Moderate 30% | Moderate cost: ELAM higher cost for alternate supplier | Moderate | Get suppliers have been identified. We believe both can meet our specs, but one is roughly 2K high cost. If lower priced supplier cannot deliver then we must use contingency to purchase from other supplier. |
| J. Krensek | 1.3 Initial | Loss of primary production site for blocks (University of Illinois Urbana Champaign) | UIUC decides to not fabricate the absorber blocks | Would cause a delay in schedule and a significant increase in labor resources required to build the blocks at BNL. | production | Low 20% | High cost: schedule: 12 mo. delay | Moderate | Blocks would have to be built at BNL. However, we would also have scientific oversight provided by UIUC, student labor, free use of facilities, space, etc. |
| J. Krensek | 1.3 Initial | Cannot find cost effective solution for making light guides | R&D studies and beam tests do not lead to improvements in the light collection uniformity from the modules | Will require position dependent correction for obtaining the desired energy resolution from the detector | R&D phase | Moderate 60% | Low - minor: possibly reduced energy resolution. | Low | We will have optical quality injection molded light guides produced with what we believe will be the optimal shape given the space constraints of the detector. The resulting energy resolution will be measured in a beam test. |
| J. Ligon | 1.4 HCal | Loss of scintillating tile supplier (Lidagrip) | Lidagrip is unable to engage in or complete the production contract | Schedule delay in the procurement of the scintillating tiles, along with consequent delays in inner and outer HCal assembly. | production | 10% | Schedule: 6-9 months | Moderate | Explore alternate scintillator vendors (PNAI, Eign, BEIP). |
| J. Ligon | 1.4 HCal | Unable to produce inner HCal in \$5310 in a cost effective manner | Evaluation of inner HCal prototype yields higher than anticipated production costs | Schedule delay in finalizing the design of the inner HCal; re-engineering required. | production | 25% | Schedule: 6 months | Moderate | Investigate value engineering designs and alternate materials (brass); will require re-engineering. |
| J. Ligon | 1.4 HCal | Unable to identify suitable site(s) for inner HCal assembly (tools, and electronics) | No participating University site can identify the space resources for assembly. | Schedule delay to set up assembly site at BNL. | production | 5% | Schedule 3 months | Low | Investigate possibility of assembly (scintillator and electronics) at BNL. |
| E. Mannel | 1.5 Cal Electronics | Delay in SPM Delivery | SPM order not placed on schedule or vendor unable to meet production schedule | Delay in assembly of Hcal and EMCal SPM daughter boards. Potential delay in Hcal and EMCal module assembly | Procurement | 30% | Low: Schedule delay 3-5 months | Low | Closely monitor the procurement stage. |
| E. Mannel | 1.5 Cal Electronics | Delay in testing of SPMs | SPM Delivery not placed on schedule or vendor unable to meet production schedule | Delay in assembly of Hcal and EMCal SPM daughter boards. Potential delay in Hcal and EMCal module assembly | Production | 30% | Low: Schedule delay 3-5 months | Low | Increase number of testing stations. Identify additional collaborators who can contribute to the testing program. Streamline testing program. |
| E. Mannel | 1.5 Cal Electronics | Delay in Assembly of HCal daughter boards, Preamps, interface boards, USB Drivers | Procurement of components, issuing of orders. | Potential delay in HCal module assembly and testing | Production | Moderate: 25% | Low: Schedule delay 3-5 months | Low | Staged partial deliveries of boards. Use multiple assembly houses. |
| E. Mannel | 1.5 Cal Electronics | Delay in assembly of EMCal daughter boards, Preamps or interface boards | Procurement of components, issuing of orders. | Potential delay in EMCal module assembly and testing | Production | Moderate: 25% | Low: Schedule delay 3-5 months | Low | Staged partial deliveries of boards. Use multiple assembly houses. |
| M. Pucillo | 1.6 Data/Trigger | DAQ Prototype | | DAQ prototype throughput and performance is below specifications | | | | Low | Acquire more expensive PCs / re-design parts of the architecture |
| M. Pucillo | 1.6 Data/Trigger | Network switch | | Network switch more expensive than projected | | | | Low | Try to use "software" switch / cascading of cheaper, smaller switches |
| M. Pucillo | 1.6 Data/Trigger | Global LVL | | adaptation of PHENIX GLL runs into obstacles | | | | Low | select different card, re-design parts of the architecture |
| M. Pucillo | 1.6 Data/Trigger | Timing Systems | | Conversion/adaptation from GLL to GLLS problematic, or envisioned | | | | Low | select different card, re-design parts of the architecture |
| M. Pucillo | 1.6 Data/Trigger | Local LVL | | Performance of LVL algorithms inadequate. Trigger latency too | | | | Moderate | optimize Physics goals, procure more hardware |

Defining the Preliminary Key Performance Parameters

- Meeting with DOE-ONP and BHSO June 7 Lloyd to discuss our preliminary KPP's. My proposal:

Preliminary KPP's

The preliminary KPP's are the minimum parameters against which the project performance is measured at CD-4 project completion.


| System | Parameters | Preliminary KPPs |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Time Projection Chamber | Operations | 90% live channels based on laser, pulser, cosmics |
| Electromagnetic Calorimeter | Operations | 90% live channels based on LED, cosmics |
| Hadronic Calorimeter | Operations | 90% live channels based on LED, cosmics |
| Min Bias Trigger Detector | Operations | 90% live channels based on laser. Bench demonstration of 50 ps/ch timing resolution |
| DAQ/Trigger | Event rate | 5-10 kHz w/ laser, LED, pulser |
| DAQ/Trigger | Data Logging rate | 10-20 GBit/s with laser, LED, pulser |
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- Installation isn't necessary to meet all of these KPP's.

Back Up

Documents To Be Available Prior to the CD-1 Director's Review

1. Acquisition Strategy - Not yet complete
2. Conceptual Design/Conceptual Design Report – Advanced design/ advanced draft
3. Preliminary Project Execution Plan – Draft by next week
4. Preliminary Hazard Analysis Report- Draft
5. Preliminary Risk Management Plan – Advanced Draft
6. Preliminary Risk Assessment and Risk Registry – Advanced Draft
7. Preliminary Security Vulnerability Assessment (Short security equipment protection & cyber security) - Draft of Equip protection. Cyber security doc in process.
8. Alternate Analysis – For the PEP includes scientific alternatives Not yet started
9. Management Organization - complete
10. Cost Range (Cost Books)
11. WBS (WBS Dictionary)
12. Activity List & Activity Attributes
13. Critical Milestones
14. Project Schedule
15. Proposed Funding Profile
16. Contingency Risk/Analysis
17. Integrated Safety Management Plan - Pro forma
18. NEPA form - complete
19. Close all previous review recommendations – sPM, L2s



A team of 20-25 people have been working on this for the past 4+ months. All derived from WBS MS-Project file
By sPM, L2s, CAMs and engineers

CD-1 Preparation and Review Schedule

- sPHENIX CD-1 “Document Review” with BNL internal Review committee (Jun 5-6)
 - Review state of the documentation, Project files with drill down, project controls
 - Project Overview talk, Project Controls talk, Documentation overview , MIE L2 documentation overview, MIE L2 Drill down.
 - We will need a practice week of May 29, either Jun 1 or 2. Expect to have draft agenda this week. I am working with Maria on the agenda and committee.
- sPHENIX MVTX Director’s review (Jul 10-11)
 - At BNL. External committee. Combined CD-0/CD-1 review
- Dress Rehearsal w/ external committee for sPHENIX Director’s Review July 12-14 (2 of 3 days)
- sPHENIX Director’s Review. (Aug 2-4)
 - Jay Marx will chair.
- DOE-OPA CD-1 Review (Week of Nov 6)
 - 2.5 days. 1 day of plenary. 1 day of breakout. ½ day of report writing and close out
 - Practice 2 weeks prior to the review with follow-up one week prior. I will schedule.